Rao Bahadur M. Narayana Menon *(Commissioner of Police):*

	1113.	*1114.*
Total number of Bus accidents	25	27
Do. Car accidents	35	40
Total	60	67
Fatal cases	3	8

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Nellayi)*: Is it on account of the increase in traffic that the accidents are on the increase?

Rao Bahadur M. Narayana Menon *(Commissioner of Police)*: There has been abount 150 motor vehicles more put on the road.

GENERAL HOSPITAL, ERNAKULAM AND CIVIL HOSPITAL, TRICHUR—EXPENDITURE ON.

22. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South)*: Will the Government be pleased to say:—

1. (*a*) the total expenditure incurred for the maintenance of the Civil Hospital at Trichur for medicine, diet, establishment charges, etc. for the years 1112 and 1113;

(*b*) the number of doctors both paid and honorary;

(*c*) their salaries or allowances;

(*d*) daily average attendance in the out-patient and in-patient departments;

(*e*) the cost of medicine;

(*f*) the cost of diet for the above-mentioned two years?

2. Will the Government be pleased to give the above mentioned information regarding the General Hospital at Ernakulam?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer)*: 1 and 2:

(*a*)	*Civil Hospital.*	*General Hospital.*
1112	Rs. 30,127	Rs. 60,939
1113	Rs. 29,895	Rs. 66,295

These figures do not include cost of medicines, etc., supplied from the Central Medical Stores.

(*b*)	*Civil Hospital.*		*General Hospital.*	
	Honorary.	*Paid.*	*Honorary.*	*Paid.*
1112	4	6	8	10
1113	5	5	9	10

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(c)	*Civil Hospital.*	*General Hospital.*
1112	Rs. 13,064	Rs. 21,932
1113	Rs. 12,980	Rs. 21,398

(d)	*Civil Hospital.*		*General Hospital.*	
	Out-patient.	*In-patient.*	*Out-patient.*	*In-patient.*
1112	388	98	500	221
1113	507	96	550	249

(e) Medicines and other articles supplied from the Central Medical Stores are purchased in bulk and distributed to the institutions according to requirements. Separate accounts showing the cost of supplies made to each institution are not maintained.

(f)	*Civil Hospital.*	*General Hospital.*
1112	Rs. 4,342	Rs. 9,377
1113	Rs. 4,316	Rs. 9,926

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* May I know whether it will not be desirable to have separate accounts maintained for the supply to each institution?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer):* There is no necessity. Moreover it will involve a lot of expenses in the establishment.

NURSE FOR CHOWWARA DISPENSARY—NECESSITY OF.

23. Mr. P. K. Madhava Menon *(Narakkal):* Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the honorary visitors of Chowwara dispensary have repeatedly pointed out the necessity of a nurse being appointed for the dispensary;

(b) whether the Government will be pleased to look into the matter and do the needful at an early date?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao *(Chief Medical Officer):* (a) Yes.

(b) Yes.

RAM MOHAN PALACE, ERNAKULAM AND JUBILEE TOWN HALL, TRICHUR—ELECTRIFICATION OF.

24. Mr. V. K. Bhaskara Menon *(Cranganur):* Will the Government be pleased to state whether tenders were invited for the electrification of the Ram Mohan Palace and the new Jubilee Town Hall at Trichur and the name of the contractor to whom the work was entrusted?

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